## Goal: PUBLIC SAFETY

## **Desired Community Condition(s)**

Residents, including youth, and public safety agencies work together to prevent crime and respond to life safety issues in order to create a safe community.

# **Program Strategy:SAFE CITY STRIKE FORCE**

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Improve neighborhood quality of life and public safety

Department: LEGAL

#### Service Activities

Safe City Strike Force

#### Strategy Purpose and Description

Oversight of Safe City Strike Force estabished to address neighborhood quality of life and public safety though nuisance abatement actions, grafitti vandalism collections and DWI vehicle forfeiture.

The Legal Department's Safe City Strike Force was established to address the issues set forth in Goal 2 Priority Objective #6 and the Administrations's concerns over the enforcement of City codes and ordinances.

#### Changes and Key Initiatives

#### **Priority Objectives**

Fiscal Year Priority Objectives

2005 OBJECTIVE 4. To improve neighborhood quality of life and public safety, initiate 70 board-ups, 20

condemnations, 10 graffiti vandalism lawsuits, and 1200 DWI vehicle forfeitures in FY/05.

Input Measure (\$000's)

 2004
 110
 110 GENERAL FUND
 744

 2005
 110
 110 GENERAL FUND
 899

Strategy Outcome	Measure	Year	Project	Mid Year	Actual	Notes
Positive feedback from effected neighborhoods as to nuisance abatement efforts	survey	2005	na			developing survey for neighborhoods

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Parent Program Strategy: SAFE CITY STRIKE FORCE

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## Service Activity: Safe City Strike Force

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### Service Activity Purpose and Description

The creation of the Community Enforcement and Abatement Division for FY/03 addresses the Administrations concerns over the enforcement of City codes and ordinances. The division will concentrate its efforts in the enforcement of City codes and ordinances; such as housing code enforcement, graffiti vandalism prosecution, vehicle forfeiture proceedings, and Metropolitan Court Arraignment Program.

#### Changes and Key Initiatives

Expansion of City vehicle Boot Program for 2nd DWU offenders.

Initiate civil lawsuits against "Grafitti vandals."

Initiate civil court action on foreclosure issues & board up nuisance properties.

#### Input Measure (\$000's)

2003	110	110 GENERAL FUND	590
2004	110	110 GENERAL FUND	744
2005	110	110 GENERAL FUND	899

### Strategic Accomplishments

Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
Initiate board-ups	2005	25			boarded up between 225-250 residential properties.
Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
Initiate Graffiti lawsuits	2005	15			In the past 18 months, Nuisance Abatement unit initiated a total of 87 civil complaints for graffiti vandalism naming 193 defendants and 81 parents. In 2003 \$41,865.00 was collected with an additional \$40,000.00 in default judgments secured
Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
Review code enforcement cases	2005	2000			reviewed 838 cases in past 18 months
Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
Initiate nuisanse abatement action	2005	150			275 in past 18 months, Actions have been taken against 9 motels, hotels or businesses along Central Ave.27 condemnations have also been initiated
Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
# of dwi seizure reports reviewed	2005	925			925-1000 reviewed from Jan to Nov '03

Output Measures	Year	Projected	Mid-Year	Actual	Notes
Vehicle Forfeitures	2005	500			previous year 333